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2,759,629	Sargent	5,524,814	Davis
2,991,908	Conescu	5,609,379	Harrelson
3,222,959	Jamison	5,645,162	Harrelson
3,565,323	Katzenmeyer	5,738,217	Hunter
3,744,704	Struble	5,765,684	Van Dore et al.
3,868,140	Gordon	5,788,081	Bates
4,053,099	Lock	5,797,486	Picciolo
4,155,502	Forte	5,813,540	Vollbrecht et al.
4,744,613	Brantingham et al.	5,816,405	Carriger, Jr.
4,895,256	Johnston	5,833,056	Goldman
5,249,700	Dumke	5,927,502	Hunter
5,415,277	Berntsen	6,443,308	Davis

A Form PTO 1449 listing the above references is enclosed, and their citation as prior art is requested.

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